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1. A treatment agent for hydrophilicity comprising silica  
particulates and polymer of vinyl alcohol series in the weight ratio  
in the range 30:70~70:30, amounting to 0.2~25 weight percent in  
5 total of both, in which said silica particulates are coated with  
said polymer of vinyl alcohol series, and dispersed in aqueous  
medium as coated particles having the average particle diameter  
5~1000 nm.

2. A method for preparing a treatment agent for

10 hydrophilicity, wherein said method comprising:

a process of dissolving or dispersing polymer of vinyl alcohol  
series in a 0.3~17.5 weight percent relative to the entire treatment  
agent,

15 a process of adding silica particulates of 5~100 nm in the  
average particle diameter to a dissolution or dispersion system  
of polymer of vinyl alcohol series formed in the previous process  
in a 0.3~17.5 weight percent relative to the entire treatment agent  
and in an amount so that the weight ratio of said silica particulates  
and said polymer of vinyl alcohol series becomes 30:70~70:30, and  
20 furthermore,

a process of forcibly dispersing "aggregates of polymer of  
vinyl alcohol series with silica particulates" formed by the  
addition of said silica particulates.